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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
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Plaintiff,)
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v.)
)
MICHAEL EDISON,)
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Defendant.)

Criminal No. CR 07-0074 WHA

**STIPULATION AND ~~PROPOSED~~
ORDER EXCLUDING TIME**

The above-captioned matter came before the Court on January 22, 2008. The defendant was represented by Richard Mazer, Esq., and the government was represented by Jeffrey Finigan, Assistant United States Attorney. The matter was set before this Court for further status on February 20, 2008.

The Court made a finding that the time from and including January 22, 2008, through and including February 20, 2008, should be excluded under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C.

§ 3161(h)(8)(A), because the ends of justice served by taking such action outweighed the best

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1 interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. The finding was based on the need for
2 the defendant to have reasonable time necessary for effective preparation and for continuity of
3 counsel pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(iv).

4 The parties hereby agree to and request that the case be continued until February 20,
5 2008, and that the exclusion of time until then be granted. The parties agree and stipulate that the
6 additional time is appropriate and necessary under Title 18, United States Code, § 3161(h)(8)(A),
7 because the ends of justice served by this continuance outweigh the best interest of the public and
8 the defendant in a speedy trial. This time exclusion will allow defense counsel to effectively
9 prepare, taking into account the exercise of due diligence, and will provide for continuity of
10 counsel for the defendant.

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13 DATED: January 22, 2008

/s/

RICHARD MAZER
Counsel for Michael Edison

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16 DATED: January 22, 2008

/s/

JEFFREY R. FINIGAN
Assistant U.S. Attorney

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19 So ordered.

20 DATED: January 23, 2008.

21 WILLIAM M. ALSUP
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

